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For: METHOD FOR COLLECTIVELY)
MAKING MICRORELIEFS, AND)
ESPECIALLY MICROPRISMS BY)
MICRO-MACHINING AND TOOLS)
FOR IMPLEMENTING THE)
METHOD)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please cancel original Claims 1-13.

PLEASE ADD THE FOLLOWING CLAIMS:

Sub B1) 14. A method for making microcomponents (76,102) exhibiting
microreliefs of an optical quality, in a substrate (62, 82, 92) comprising of:
- a first step for making the desired microrelief (70, 72, 74; 80, 82; 100) for each
microcomponent by mechanical machining of the substrate, the machining consisting of
moving at least one tool translationally and parallel to the substrate, and

Should say 70, 72, 74 as for pg 12